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## COUNCIL HOLDS BUSY SESSION.

Many Pavement Ordinances Passed on Various Streets.

### LIVE STOCK COMMITTEE.

Recommendation Concerning Patrol Wagon Adopted and Ordered.

The city council met in called session Thursday night, with all of the members present. The object was to consider business left unfinished at the last meeting.

Health Officer R. L. Woodard submitted his report for 1960, which showed 123 deaths in the city last year, 36 white and 87 colored. There were 101 births, 75 white and 26 colored, though the colored statistics, he said, were very incomplete. Dr. Woodard made a number of important recommendations for sanitary reasons, among them being the passage of a stock law, an anti-spitting ordinance, the establishment of a market-house and the prohibition of "dry wells" as receptacles for sewage. The report was filed.

Much time was taken up with street repairs and the need of new sidewalks. Pavement ordinances were passed ordering curbing and cinder or crushed stone walks put down on the South side of East Seventh street from F. L. Waller's place to the city limits; on the South side of East 17th street from Virginia to the L. & N. railroad; on the North side of West 17th from Main to the Canton road; on the South side of Sixth street from the Hopkins property to Virginia street. A new crossing was ordered put down at 2nd and Clay streets and the crossing at 6th and Clay was ordered repaired.

The sewerage contractors were given permission to use the city sewer for ten days for Hotel Latham sewerage, while blasting under the hotel pipes, which have to be temporarily removed.

Dr. W. L. Nourse called attention to the opportunity the city now has to buy park lands at a low price on the Cedar Grove hill. The cost of securing a Seventh street outlet to the grounds already owned by the city and the probable sum required to open a park on the hill came up for discussion. The matter was referred to the Committee on Public Grounds for investigation. The committee consists of Councilmen Davis, Armstrong and Glass.

The council adopted a motion requesting the mayor to create a new committee to be known as the Live Stock committee, one of its duties being to look after the city horses with power to buy, sell or trade. Councilmen Jackson and Ware were appointed and were instructed to buy two new horses and sell one or more. One of the present horses is to be transferred to the police department and will be kept at police headquarters for both saddle and harness purposes.

On motion of Dr. Jackson, the mayor appointed a committee consisting of Jackson, Ware and Armstrong to buy a patrol wagon.

The question of extending the city limits so as to bring five bawdy houses within the jurisdiction of the city was not brought up.

The committee appointed to examine the annual reports submitted at the meeting Jan. 5th, was given further time. Mr. Waller, the insurance inspector, made numerous complaints of the violation of the ordinance against putting ashes in barrels and boxes. He also pointed out one or two frame buildings unlawfully erected recently within the fire limits. This matter was referred to the Building Committee for investigation.

Trig circuit court will begin at 10 o'clock Monday.

## THE WILL

Of The Late Elder J. W. Gant at Elkton.

The will of the late Elder J. W. Gant, dated January 22, 1903, and witnessed by Walker Watkins and Jas. R. Mallory, devises all the property, real and personal, to the widow for life, with remainder equally to his three children, T. L. Gant, Ida A. Gant and Bettie E. Gant, specifying that an advancement of \$1,000 to T. L. Gant on March 31, 1902, shall be considered in the settlement. In a codicil, however, witnessed by B. D. Johnson and Nathan Ewing, testator provides that his daughters are to receive from the estate \$500 more than his son, "not that I love him less, but that, being a man, he can earn a living easier than either of my said daughters." No one was named to carry out the provisions of the will, and his oldest daughter, Miss Ida, has qualified as administratrix with the will annexed.—Elkton Times.

## CHICAGO CLUB

Of Excursionist Pass Here Enroute to Cuba.

The Cook County Marching Club, a party of excursionists of Chicago, passed through Hopkinsville, over the Illinois Central, yesterday morning, enroute to Cuba. From Nashville they will go over the Southern and other lines to Miami, Fla. They will pass through Hopkinsville Jan. 31 on their return. The club has a special train, composed of baggage car, tourist car and four sleepers.

## DIVORCE PROCEEDINGS

In Which Plaintiff Alleges Abandonment.

Annie Morris has instituted suit for divorce from Henry Morris, alleging abandonment. The complainant states she was married to the defendant at Clarksville, Tenn., August 3, 1895, and that she was abandoned in this county November 20, 1903.

## DIED OF CONSUMPTION.

Mrs. Hardy Passes Away After Long Illness.

Mrs. Sarah Hardy, wife of Mr. Henry Hardy, of Caldonia, died last Monday, after an illness of several months of consumption. She was fifty years old and is survived by her husband and five children. She was a member of the Baptist church.

## Smoked Country Sausage,

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## BYRON NIXON KILLS HIMSELF

Takes His Life in a Bathroom In Henderson Hotel.

### HEAVY LIFE INSURANCE

Body Brought Here For Interment—Statement By His Brother.

J. Byron Nixon committed suicide at Henderson Wednesday night. The Journal gives this account of the affair.

"Henderson suffered a severe shock today when it was learned that a guest of Hotel Henderson had committed suicide in a most sensational manner. It appears that he took his life either late last night or early this morning, as the body was discovered this morning lying in a bath tub. The suicide was identified as a man who had registered Wednesday afternoon under the name of J. B. Nixon, and from the coroner's jury it was evident that the deed was committed last night.

The first intimation of the catastrophe received by the hotel people was when they noticed water running in a third-floor bath room, the door of which was locked. The houseman, Stewart Howell, was sent to investigate, and with the aid of a step-ladder he looked through the transom and saw the body lying in the tub. Mr. Herndon was immediately notified, and the door being locked, he got a bell-boy to press the bolt back with a stick. The body was found to be that of a man apparently about 28 years old, five feet 10 inches in height, and weighing about 140 pounds; it was lying in the tub slightly turned to the left, with the right arm lying across the face and the right hand hanging over the edge of the bath tub. Right beneath the hand on the floor lay a revolver of the Forehand Arms Co. make, of 38-calibre, with one empty chamber. Except for a pair of drawers and socks, the body was entirely nude. The bullet had entered the left breast just below the nipple and the skin had been badly powdered; there was also a cut on the neck.

On top of his coat, which lay folded on a chair in the bath room was found an insurance policy envelope on which was written, "J. B. Nixon, Hopkinsville, Ky. In case of death or accident, notify my brother, W. H. Nixon, Hopkinsville, Ky." In a corner of the envelope was written: "Life insurance, \$16,000, accident \$5,000, if by railroad \$10,000." On the back of the envelope, in the same hand, were these words: "All insurance policies will be paid if I take my own life. J. B. Nixon. Get letter addressed to J. C. Nixon, Hopkinsville, Ky." This letter, probably sealed, was found later in his suit case.

In searching his room, No. 47, his clothes were found in good order, also a gold watch and \$2.75 in silver. In the suit case were found a fire insurance policy for \$300 on a house in Pensacola, Fla., issued by the American Fire Insurance Co., also a contract between Samuel H. and Claud W. Kress on the one side and J. B. Nixon on the other, and dated at Pensacola, engaging him to travel for the Kress brothers. There were, in addition, a pass-book of the Peoples' Bank at Pensacola, showing a deposit of \$315 to J. B. Nixon's credit, tax receipts for several years and duplicate receipts of the New York Life Insurance Company for policies payable to his brother and a letter to the Mutual of New York with respect to another policy, also payable to his brother. There were also found a variety of receipts for post-office orders for various amounts and all directed to the bank at Pensacola.

A discovery was made that seems to throw a little light on the cause

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## DIED SUDDENLY.

Aged Night Watchman a Victim of Heart Trouble.

Death came suddenly to John Connelly last Wednesday night not long after he had eaten supper. He had not been well for several days, though he was able to perform his duties as one of the watchmen at the Asylum. His death was due to heart trouble. After eating a light supper he went to his room and was soon followed by the man who roomed with him. He was lying dead on his bed when his roommate entered the room.

Mr. Connelly was first given a position in the institution by the late Dr. James Rodman over twenty-five years ago. He was always faithful in the discharge of his duties and was generally liked by the inmates and employees of the Asylum. He was a very intelligent man and spent most of his spare time in reading. He fought for the South in the war between the States, and when the struggle ended he came to Hopkinsville and worked as a stone mason. He was 71 years of age and belonged to the Catholic church, where funeral services were held yesterday. His three daughters survive him. The interment was in Hopewell.

## FIRE NEAR CERULEAN.

Residence and Contents Destroyed by Flames.

The residence of Mrs. Anderson Stewart, of near Cerulean, was destroyed by fire. Most of the contents also burned. The loss is probably \$2,000. There was \$800 insurance. The flames are supposed to have originated from the fire place. The fire occurred just before midnight.

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JAN. 20, 1906.

### The Weather.

For Kentucky: Saturday probably showers and warmer.

Harvard College has prohibited football until the rules are reformed.

Wm. Van Dalsen was hanged at Louisville yesterday for the murder of Fannie Porter.

Thos. A. Edison announces that he has developed a telephone that can be used across the Atlantic ocean.

Tillman's resolution to investigate the rough treatment of Mrs. Morris at the White House, was tabled.

The house occupied by "Mrs. Wiggs of the Cabbage Patch," in Louisville, is to be turned into a saloon.

M. Fallieres was elected President of France on the first ballot, receiving 449 votes to 371 for M. Doumer.

Midshipmen P. B. Marzoni, Florida; W. W. Foster, Indiana, and Tremore Coffin, Jr., have been expelled from the Naval Academy for hazing. Others are under trial.

Wm. E. Walling, of Chicago, a grandson of the late Wm. H. English, of Indiana, a rich American, is under arrest in St. Petersburg for alleged complicity in the revolutionary movement.

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Senator Tillman has attracted attention to the outrageous treatment of Mrs. Minor Morris at the White House recently by proposing an investigation of the incident, which every possible effort has been made to suppress. The treatment accorded Mrs. Morris was thoroughly disgraceful and justifies the summary dismissal of Assistant Secretary Barnes and other employees who acted under his orders in dragging the woman like a common felon to a patrol wagon and hauling her away.

The great automobile meet of 1906 will be held from Jan. 22 to 27, at Ormond, Fla., with races on the ocean beach between Ormond and Daytona, which is 300 feet wide and 20 miles long, the finest beach on the American coast. A two-mile-a-minute race will be one of the features.

The mid-winter meeting of the Kentucky Press Association will be held in Frankfort next Tuesday, Jan. 23rd, and the indications are that it will be well attended. An interesting day session will be held and an entertainment of some sort at night.

Maj. H. B. Hersey, formerly in charge of the weather bureau at Louisville, is to be one of the four men to go with Walter Wellman in search of the North Pole, in a Santos Dumont airship next summer.

## AMUSEMENTS.

One of the best engagements booked by Manager Ennis for the season will be here for the entire coming week. Theater-goers will have an opportunity of seeing a number of first-class attractions at popular prices—10, 20 and 30 cents. The company has elicited the most favorable expressions from the press wherever it has played and no doubt the opera house will be filled every night next week. The manager of the Belleville, Ill., opera house: "John F. Kennedy is a most pleasing comedian and comes up to the reputation that had preceded him, Miss Nellie Kennedy is pretty, charming and talented. Her roles give a piquant fascination to any play in which she appears. The company is one of more than ordinary talent, and each one is well fitted to the characters they portray.

The specialties are numerous and good, affording a diversity of amusement, and plenty of fun. The best company which has ever appeared in Belleville at popular prices—Manager Carman, opera house.

### "When Knighthood Was In Flower."

Nearly everybody has read Chas. Major's book, "When Knighthood Was In Flower." This is one of the most intensely interesting novels of recent years, and those who have read it will be glad to know that it will be presented at Holland's Opera House February 5th. Miss Roselle Knott, the leading lady has a company of her own selection and a fine production of the great play is assured.

### Young Travelers.

Two small boys named Davis from Adairville, Georgia, got off the I. C. train Thursday night and were turned over to Officer Haydon to be cared for. They were taken to police headquarters and put to bed and sent on the train yesterday morning to Blackford, Ky. They had money to pay their expenses, and a basket well filled with provisions. They were cared for without charge.

## IMPORTANT MATTERS

### Discussed in Letter From Mr. F. G. Ewing.

General Manager Felix G. Ewing, of the Dark Tobacco Planters' Protective Association, has issued the following letter to the members of that association:

Gleaveson, Tenn., Jan. 16.—There are a number of things in consideration with our work for the years 1906 and 1906 that it is very necessary for each member of the association to know, and to consider very seriously. In the first place, I want to call your attention to the better assortment of tobacco at the planter's barn than was done last year. Be extremely careful not to mix colors, lengths and quality in the hand, so when the prizer gets it he can do a first-class job.

"Next I want to call your attention to the importance of keeping the acreage down; reduce it whenever it is possible in order to create a steady demand for our tobacco.

"Still again, everyone knows how important it is for everybody—'hill-billies' and all—to sign the pledge for 1906, and the Executive Committee will like you, personally, to influence any man who is not a member to sign.

"After tobacco is properly stripped and ready for the prizing house, be very careful that the prizing house man take it to have a contract, be equally careful that the storage house man that it goes to afterwards has a contract with the association.

"It has happened in the past that some prizing house men have lent money for storage houses to which the tobacco was to be sent, and these storage houses made excessive charges. Therefore, I earnestly request that you know the storage house from which you borrow money has signed the Association contract before you are in any way obligated to it.

"We have many reforms in view for next season. We have a traveling auditor whose business it is to check up accounts and see that the planter is getting value received for his money. This cannot be done unless the planters are more certain that every prizing house man has signed the contract of the Association, which, while it is protecting the planters' interests fully, works no hardship upon either the prizing house man or the storage house man. Be extremely careful about this, as it is extremely important to the Association's handling next year's crop with great success.

"At the last meeting of the Executive Committee a rule was made that no man could hold two positions with the Association; in other words, a man cannot be a prizer and an inspector; cannot be a prizer and a classifier; cannot be a storage man and sidesman. The only exception to this rule is, that a man might be a prizer and a storage house man.

"I think it very important to call attention to the rivalry between the prizing houses and the various storage houses. It has been the full intention of the Association that no one market or locality should have any advantage of another, and that tobacco stored at a small town on the railroad track should sell just as well as that stored at a larger point, provided time samples are sent to our sales places in accordance with the Association's instructions.

"We are aware that many prizing house men have told the planters that they had unusual and remarkable advantages; so have the storage house men told the planters the same thing; but it is untrue.

"Even as to freight rate, the same rate of freight will be given from

every point along the Louisville & Nashville road, provided the road is allowed to route the tobacco to its destination.

"It is well known that the Association has many enemies in the form of selfish men who are strictly after graft, and who are watching and hoping our members will make mistakes that will embarrass the Association. In order to avoid any possibility of this, it is absolutely necessary that every member should carry out these instructions to the very letter. If this is done the grafter will be relegated to the rear and the Association will swim on to that success which it so richly deserves and which every member is determined we shall have.

"Remember, always, the importance of planters listening to their leaders, and not to men on the outside, many of whom are seeking to ruin us.

"And remember, still again, the planters must stand positively together.

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### Sale Notice.

W. E. Adeock, Admr. of Jas. McClain, decd., will on the 24th day of Jan., 1906, at the Peoples farm near Church Hill, Ky., residence of the late Jas. McClain, decd., offer for sale at public auction, the following described personal effects of Jas. McClain, decd.:

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### DULL MARKET.

But Seven Marriage Licenses Issued This Year.

Our accommodating County Clerk, who is always in a good humor, has not been kept busy writing marriage licenses for the past three weeks. He says the matrimonial market is dull but he is certain a change is not far ahead. Only seven marriage licenses have been issued for the past nineteen days.

### Splendid Work.

Mr. T. H. Ennis, who is advertising Frankel's "Clean Sweep Sale," has done some of the most creditable work of the kind we have ever seen. Hundreds of people have commented on the way he has billed the fronts of the two large store rooms. Towns like Princeton, Pembroke and Greenville are being billed. When it comes to advertising, Mr. Ennis can teach the best advertisers a thing or two.

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The four Osage Oil Companies owning the above wells have returned to stock holders during the year in monthly dividends, a dividend of \$200,000, against an actual investment in property and development of approximately \$60,000, with a handsome surplus yet remaining in their profits and for extra dividends, subject to the action of the stockholders at their annual meetings to be held in January.

Withdrawal of all stocks of the stock of the four companies have been entirely withdrawn from the market. An announcement will probably be made no later than January 15, of the entire withdrawal in January at the same rate as the other four Osage Petroleum Companies. This transaction has demonstrated by its four wells already brought in that it has an earning capacity, with development, equal if not in excess of the four Osage Petroleum Companies first operating in the Zanesville district, and it has a surplus in its profit fund of practically \$5,000 at the present time available for dividends. Any customer desiring to secure this stock will have to send in their applications prior to the date of its withdrawal.

The Interstate Osage Petroleum Co. now has in its profit fund approximately \$3,800, against an investment in the property and development of some less than \$2,000, which we think is a remarkable record for the Osage properties for 1905.

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Come around and select what you want and let  
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Ninth Street and Eighth Street. Both Phones.

## BYRON NIXON KILLS HIMSELF.

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for this death. An envelope was discovered bearing these words: "I am not the incendiary or the burglar," and inside the envelope was a newspaper clipping of December 25 from a paper published in Pensacola to the effect that a fire had occurred in that city which had completely ruined the store of Kress Bros., and that the door of the safe had been found blown open and \$800 were missing; the thief had unquestionably first robbed the building and then set fire to it to cover up his tracks.

At the inquest, Drs. Wilson and Stone examined the wounds in the neck and gave as their opinion the cut in the left side of the throat was made four days ago and the gash on the right side had been made about forty-eight hours before. A rag spattered with blood was found in the room and looked like it might have been worn around the neck. The man registered Wednesday afternoon as J. B. Nixon, Hopkinsville, Ky., and was assigned Room No. 47. It was noticed that he kept his overcoat collar turned up. The suicide probably occurred Wednesday night between 11 and 12 o'clock.

### Formerly Lived Here.

Byron Nixon formerly lived here, and probably claimed this as his home. He left here several years ago for Richmond, Va., to work in C. B. Rouse's store with J. H. Kugler. From there he went to New York and was made manager of a Kress & Co., store at Nashville. Two years ago he was transferred to Pensacola, Fla. After the trouble referred to, Dec. 24, he left Pensacola Dec. 26, for Los Angeles, Cal. His brother, W. H. Nixon, a policeman of this city, says he wrote him that he was called to California by the death of a girl to whom he was engaged and learned afterwards that he was under suspicion and a reward offered for his arrest. He wrote to Pensacola that he would be in Hopkinsville Jan. 15 and wrote his brother to the same effect, saying he would stop here a few days and then go to Pensacola to adjust his troubles. In several letters he protested his innocence. His brother thinks the accusations against him and the death of his sweetheart drove him to suicide.

He was 27 years old and leaves three brothers and one sister.

He had \$2,000 insurance in the Equitable 4 years old and \$14,000 in the New York Life and Mutual, one policy taken out two years ago and the other last month. Most of the insurance is payable to W. H. Nixon. The body arrived here yesterday and the interment will take place in Hopewell at 2:30 p. m. today.

### HERE AND THERE.

HAM sacks for sale at this office.  
POLK CANSLER—Real Estate bought and sold. Notary Public.

All kinds of lumber for sale. Phone 172. J. H. Winfree.

Dr. E. N. Fruit, Dentist, office over City Bank, Hopkinsville, Ky.

FOR RENT—Two up-stairs rooms. Gentlemen preferred. Call Cumberland 189.

Drs. Oldham and Gregory, Osteopaths, 705 S. Clay St., Hopkinsville, Kentucky.

Joseph Wall, aged 84 years, of Daviess county, was received at the Western Asylum this week for treatment.

Ernest Claytor and Miss Mary Rash, of Madisonville, will be married Feb. 15. The bride-to-be is a daughter of the late Dr. A. F. Rash. For all kinds of rough building material, and wood and saw dust, Call Cumberland phone No. 400. Home phone No. 170. Free delivery in city limits. Dering, Frank & Lewis Lumber Co.

### THE REVIVAL.

Quite a Number of Professions and Services to Continue.

The preaching of Rev. P. H. Davis at the Methodist church has been highly fruitful, as the conversions now number over 50. The house is crowded every night and interest is growing. It has been said that the reason more do not attend is because they can't get in. The meetings are to continue through the coming week.

### PERSONAL GOSSIP.

Mr. James M. Forbes went to Nashville Thursday on business.

Miss Bettie Burk has gone to Cadiz to visit relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger W. Harrison have gone to Greensboro, N. C., where they will reside in the future.

Mrs. S. G. Buckner is visiting the family of her son, Mr. T. W. Buckner, in Henderson.

Misses Carrie Baker, Addie and Bertie Stowe, of Hopkinsville, are here visiting the family of Tom Van Cleave, on East Main street.—Cadiz Record.

Prof. and Mrs. James G. Bramham, who have been living in Grand Rapids, Wis., have returned to this city to make their home with Mr. and Mrs. Gus Brannon.

Misses Florence Elgin, of Madisonville, Katie Graham and Ruby Lackey, of Pembroke, visited the family of Mr. W. B. Kennedy this week.

Mr. Lewis P. Guthrie, of near Indianapolis, Ind., who was called to his old home by the illness of his mother, who resides near Sinking Fork, will return home today. Mrs. Guthrie is much better.

Miss Ella Thompson, of Paducah, will spend the next few weeks in the city under the care of Dr. Edwards. Miss Thompson is suffering from glaucoma—hardening of the eye-ball—which is the most dreaded disease of the eye. Miss Thompson has already lost the sight of one eye, but the doctor thinks that by a hard fight he will be able to save the sight of the other one.

### BALLOONING AS A PASTIME

French Are Beginning to Make Light of Daring Experiments—Talk by a Great Aeronaut.

The French are beginning to make light of going up in balloons; and aeronauts tell us that it is rapidly becoming the way to travel. Oh! there's no danger at all when you know how to steer; if you keep about 7,000 feet above the surface of the earth, the air is pure and highly recommended to consumptives as healing to their lungs.

At that height you are sure not to meet obstacles on the surface of the earth, nor any in the skies. Indeed, aeronauts and "chauffeurs" agree that it is not nearly so dangerous as automobiling, certainly not for pedestrians, and Count de la Vaux, who was the victor in 1900 for long distance ballooning, said:

"Formerly, when I was practicing with balloons, there was a very serious reason why steerable balloons were impracticable; there was no motor. Now that the problem has been solved, I am ready at any time, when given sufficient funds, to go anywhere in tolerably fine weather. What keeps aerial navigation backward is the enormous cost in the construction of balloons; the silk envelope costs about \$8,000; and it costs nearly \$1,000 to fill it. Then there is the shield to shelter it, then the workmen. Now, when ballooning comes down—no play upon the word meant—the danger will not keep men from indulging in it. In another ten years we will be so used to seeing aerial transportation that it will no longer be a curiosity to look at."

### J. W. Stowe Happy.

The stork visited the home of Mr. J. W. Stowe, on South Virginia street, yesterday morning and left a little girl. Mr. Stowe is very happy and is wearing a broad smile. The little lady has been given the name of Thelma.

### READ THIS!

Milledgeville, Ky., Jan. 1, 1903.—Mr. E. W. Hall, St. Louis, Mo. Dear Sir: I have been a great sufferer from kidney disease and was treated by my home physicians with no benefit. Your Texas Wonder has cured me and I am satisfied it saved my life, and I can cheerfully recommend it to ladies suffering with kidney and bladder troubles. Respectfully, MRS. ELIZA FROST.

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One small bottle of the Texas Wonder, Hall's Great Discovery, cures all kidney and bladder troubles, removes gravel, diabetes, seminal emissions, weak and lame backs, rheumatism and all irregularities of the kidneys and bladder in men and women and regulates bladder troubles in children. If not sold by your druggist will be sent by mail on receipt of \$1.00. One small bottle is two months treatment and seldom fails to perfect a cure. Dr. E. W. Hall, sole manufacturer, P. O. Box 629, St. Louis, Mo. Send for testimonial. Sold by all druggists and R. C. Hardwick, Hopkinsville.

## FARM FOR SALE.

A fine farm, being the two farms known as the Hartsell and Johnson places in the third civil district of Montgomery county, Tenn., consisting of 460 acres. Over 300 acres of cleared land and the remainder in timber. Land lies well and is in a splendid state of cultivation. (Newly fenced). It is conveniently watered, having a creek running in one end of it, and a pond and two wells (one a bored well 135 ft. deep) on the other end. The I. C. R. R. runs through the creek end of the farm, and depot and side track only 1 mile from the house, 2 miles from Clarksville and Hopkinsville turnpike and six miles from Clarksville city limits.

This farm is splendidly adapted to the raising of stock, cattle, hogs, corn, hay, wheat and tobacco. Has a two-story five room residence, four cabins, large stable, machine and implement house, two stock barns with a capacity of over one hundred and twenty head. Over fifty head of cattle (thoroughbred short horns) two fine brood mares, ten mules, 16 H. P. traction engine and separator (good as new) corn shredder, mowers, binders, plows, harrows, hay rakes, riding cultivator and all tools in use on a modern, well conducted farm. Crops of hay, corn and wheat raised on the farm last year. One hundred acres in wheat now.

Will sell farm with all that is on it as set out above, or will sell place and reserve personally. For price and terms see or write to  
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7 Car Loads Country Sausage,  
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For 10 Days to Feb. 3, Inclusive.

Don't Miss It. Store Closed Monday, January 22nd, to Get Ready For the Handling of the Crowds. Extra Sales People.

### CADIZ MAN.

Gets Appointment With the Southern Railroad.

J. R. Crenshaw, son of Judge Robt. Crenshaw, of Cadiz, has been appointed traveling auditor and route agent of the Southern road, with headquarters in Washington City. He was formerly with the Tennessee Central and L. & N., but more recently with the Atlantic Coastline.

Mrs. L. M. Armstrong is visiting in Evansville.

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If you want FIRE, LIFE or any other kind of Insurance call on the

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### MR. JULIAN HILOW.

Died of Pneumonia Thursday Night, Aged 50 Years.

Mr. Julian Hilow, who moved to Mississippi four or five years ago, died at the home of Mr. J. N. Cox, his brother-in-law, near Gracey, Thursday night. After Mr. Hilow's wife died he returned to this county about a year ago and had been living with Mr. Cox. He was taken down with pneumonia about the first of January and gradually grew worse. The burial will take place in the Cox family burying ground, one mile north of Gracey.

### TYPHOID PNEUMONIA

Caused Death of Young Walter Dougherty.

Walter Dougherty, whose parents live North-East of the city, died Thursday night of typhoid pneumonia, at the age of 16 years. He was a popular young man and many friends regret his death. He was buried in Hopewell yesterday afternoon.

### R. E. FAULKNER DEAD.

Prominent South Christian Farmer Dies of Heart Failure.

Mr. Robert E. Faulkner, a well known farmer, of near Herndon, died Thursday night of heart failure. He had been very ill of pneumonia for about ten days, but was slightly improved on Wednesday. Heart complications developed, however, resulting in his death as above stated. Mr. Faulkner was a son of Mr. E. J. Faulkner and was about thirty-seven years old. He was a man held in the highest esteem by all who knew him.

Deceased is survived by a widow and five small children. He was a member of the Masonic order, and belonged to Pee Dee lodge. The interment will take place in the family burying ground at 11 o'clock this morning, with Masonic honors.

### Smith Heard From.

The apprehension regarding Mr. Smith's disappearance is allayed and it is hoped that something definite may be given to the public in a few days.

### February Smart Set.

An exquisite portrait of Mrs. Potter Palmer is the frontispiece of the February Smart Set. This new feature of the magazine has met with universal appreciation, and the publishers announce that the future issues will contain equally fine portraits of beautiful and prominent women.

"News and the Man," a novel of love, journalism and intrigue, by Jesse Lynch Williams, is the leading piece of fiction. It is safe to say that no more realistic picture of the exciting life of Park Row has ever been drawn. The history is dramatic to a degree, and of the final scene in the newspaper office particularly. Mr. Williams writes vividly and with brilliance.

### Plant Beds.

Many of the farmers have already burned their plant beds and the past week has been quite favorable for farming operations generally.

### At Little River.

Rev Lindsay Spurlin will preach at the Little River Baptist church on the fourth Sunday, Jan. 23, at eleven o'clock.

### Bargains in Heating Stoves

Owing to the remarkably mild winter, we have in stock more Heating Stoves than we care to carry over to another season. In view of this fact we have decided to cut prices on all grades in order to reduce stock. If you are in the market for a stove it will pay you to see us before you buy.

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### The Busy Man

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